a quasing time, before me quality rose A vision of the rose in gramous guize-A gentle woman with soft hidded even, be were twenty opals, work far more Unose the genre these told taithfully The whole year's soul as by a rosary.

May B. Dodge, in the Southern Magazine May

BY: "THERE." Or is it the evening star, With tender, tree-hing light, Sparkling like an angel's eye Through the motor veil of night When the strem wind a commotion when the waves in wild commotion Luch the echoing shore With augry, sallen roar,

Does it give the joy to stand On the brach's aliver sand. To watch the wind and water in their conflict grands. Or dust then love to gare.
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And birds 'mid basenous irait.
Song out their awestest strains'

Then answered this sweet making.
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Forms of leasing to descrip. Bot there is a sight which thrills With a strange, deep costaby? To me the night the fairest This beauteons earth can show. The most be witching and the rarest. That is found so many or lower. The is found so may be to witch provided the state of the state of

### HOW MORGAN TRADED HORSES.

(From the N. O. Bulletin.)

same time : During his celebrated tour through Indiana, he, with about three hundred and fifty guerrillas, took occasion to pay a visit to a little town hard by, while the main body were "marching on." Dashing suddenly into the little "burg," be found about three hundred home guards, each having a good horse tied to the fences, the men standing about in groups, awaiting orders from their aged captain, who looked as if he had seen the shady side of some sixty years. "The "Hoosier boys" looked at the men with astonsome sixty years. "The "Hoosier of drink, drink!" Cried the men. Stooping, she drank of the viscid ishment, while the captain went up to one of the party and asked:

"Writing an about ner 'lisk, isik!" Carlot ner 'lisk, isik!

Stooping, she drank of the viscid fluid in the cup, risog instantly again, with wild frenzy is her face

"What! Kentucky boys! We're clad to see you, boys! Where's The atrocious cannibal."

Wolford P ests," said a ragged, been so nert and dead, came to sudden, savage life. The elender, delicate palpi, with the fury of starred was sitting sideways on his borse.

The captain walked up to Wolford (se he and all thought) and saluted

"Captain, how are you?" her neck and arms, and while her "Bully! How are you? What awful screams and yet more awful men and horses?

we've got in the shop.'

"He's hard to catch; we've been after him for fourteen days and can't see him at all," said Morgan, good naturedly.

"He's hard to catch; we've been the Laocoon without its beauty—this strange, horrible murder. And now the great leaves rose slowly and stiffly, like the arms of a derrick,

The old Captain advanced, and walking up to Wolford (as he thought), said: "Captain, are you all right now?" Wolford rode up on one side of the column and down the other, when he moved to the the other, when he moved to the and thus help to increase its infront, took off his hat, paused and fluence. We will liberally reward naid: "Now, Captain, I am ready; witness an evolution which you pereach side of the road and watch us clo-sly as we pass." The Captain masters in the smaller towns and did as he was directed. A lot of villages can, with a little thought ladies were present on the occasion, and effort, easily send us the requisite and all was as silent as a maiden's number of names. In any communi-

the crowd with lightning speed, amid the shouts and huzzas of every one present—some leading a borse the feaces, to be provided for by the his gang, and there is not a man in se prisoners of war, and awaite an

a discovery. It says: "Another old fossil has been found, who after

# THE MAN-EATING TREE OF MADA

If you can imagine a pineapple eight feet high and thick in proporunded of leaves, you will have a good idea of the trunk of the tree, which, however, was not the color of anana, but a dark, dingy brown, and appa- PROSPECTU rently hard as iron. From the anex of this fusticated cone (at least two feet in diameter) eight hage leaves sheer to the ground, like doors awang back on their hinges. These

leaves, which joined at the top of the trees at regular intervals, were about eleven or twelve feet long, and shaped very much like the leaves of an American agave, or century plant. They are two feet through in the thickest point, and three wide, tapering to a sharp point that looked labering to a sharp point that looked like a cow's horn, very convex on the outer and on the under surface slightly sourcave. This concave face was thickly set with strong, thorny hooks, like those upon the head of the teazle. These leaves, hanging thus limp and lifeless, dead green in color, had in annearance the massive color, had in appearance the massive strength of oak fiber. The apex of the cone was a round white coneave figure like a smaller plate set within a larger one. This was not a flower, but a receptacle, and there exuded into it a clear, pearly, liquid honey, sweet and possessed of violent intox-iesting and soperific properties. From underneath the rim of the undermost plate, a series of long, hairy green tendrile stretched out in every direction toward the horizon. These were seven or eight feet long, and diameter, yet they stretched out x white, almost transparent, palpi, reared themselves towards the sky, wirling and twisting with a mar-We are indebted to an old scrap stantly reaching upward. Thin as

book for the following, and think it reeds and frail as quills, apparently, good enough to revive as a war were yet five or six feet tall, and were so constantly and vigorously in notion, with such a subtle, silent ing a joke sometimes as he is at throbbing against the air, with their horse stealing, and the following in-cident will prove that on this oc-casion he did a little of both at the tions on this occasion were suddenly interrupted by the natives, who had been shricking around the tree with their shrill voices, and chanting what Hendrick told me were propitiatory hymns to the great tree devil. With still wilder shrieks and chants they now surrounded one of the women. and urged her with the points of their javelins, until slowly and with a despairing face, she climbed up the the summit of the cone, the palpi swirling all about her 'Taik, Taik!

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going to do with all these Morgan looked about.

strangled down again into a gurgling moan, the tendrils one after another Morgan looked about.

"Well, you see, that damned borsethieving John Morgan is in this part
of the country with a parcel of cutthroats and thieves, and between

her in fold after fold, ever tightening throate and thieves, and between you and I, if he comes up this way, with cruel swiftness and savage to aptain, we'll give him the best nacity of anacondas fastening upon their prey. It was the barbarity of

"Ef our bosses would stand fire, e'd be all right."

"Won't they stand?"

rected themselves in the air, approached one another, and closed about the dead and hampered victim we'd be all right."

"No. Capt. Wolford, spose while you're restin, you and your company put your saddles on our borses and go through a little evolution or two by way of a lesson to our boys. I'm by way of a lesson to our boys. I'm great levers pressing more tightly toward each other from their interthe only man Morgan is afraid of."

Wolford (as it were) alighted and ordered "his boys" to dismount, as cid honey like fluid, mingled horribly he wanted to show the Hoosier boys with the blood and cozing viscers of the wanted to show the Hoosier boys with the blood and cozing viscers of volume, after an unparalleled pros-

visit. This delighted the Hoosier madly, bounded forward, crowded to boys, so they went to work and the tree, clasped it, and with cops, assisted the men to tie their old, leaves, hands, and tongues, each one obtained enough of the liquid to send weary, worn-out bones to the fences, place their saddles upon the was soon done, and the men were in their saddles, drawn up in a line and ready for the word. The boys were highly elated at the idea of having have just completed with the Wesd their "pet horses" trained for them Sewing Machine Company, will en by Wolford and his men, and more so to think that they would stand brated machines in many families fire over afterward.

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"Are you ready?"

"Are you ready?"
"All right, Wolford," shouted the Captain.
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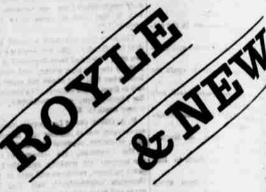
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